

TOWNSHIP OF MANSFIELD, WARREN COUNTY

Green Team Minutes

December 14, 2012

The Green Team meeting was held this date at the Mansfield Township Municipal Building, 100 Port Murray Road, Port Murray, N.J. The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m.

Present: Donald Proefrock, Robert Jewell, and JoAnn Fascenelli

Absent: Jennifer Keggan, Orson Kirk, Drew Di Sessa, Kathy Todd, Michael Clancy, and Dan Gross

Bronze Level Certification Luncheon:

The luncheon has been rescheduled for January 29, 2013 at the Forsgate Country Club in Monroe Township, New Jersey.

Electronic Waste, metal, and large rigid plastics recycling event:

Mrs. Fascenelli stated that approximately 119 residents attended the event on December 1, 2012. A total of 13,257 pounds of electronics were collected. To date a report has not been received regarding the tonnage collected for scrap metal or rigid plastics.

Potential Projects:

Carbon Footprint – Mr. Proefrock has spoken with the Township’s Police OIC and the Department of Public Works Supervisor regarding the necessary forms that need to be completed. Mrs. Fascenelli will commence gathering the necessary documents required from the Finance Department (electric, gasoline, diesel, etc.) starting with 2010.

Rain Barrel – This will be investigated further after the holidays.

Water Conservation Ordinance – Mr. Proefrock will draft an ordinance.

Tree Grant – Mr. Proefrock will research this further.

Purchasing Resolution – Mrs. Fascenelli and Ms. Keggan will draft a resolution.

Mr. Jewell advised the company that recycles #5 plastic bags is UltraPoly in the Portland PA area. Mrs. Fascenelli will research this on line. Mrs. Fascenelli will also contact Home Depot asking if they recycle compact or fluorescent bulbs.

Next Green Team meeting is scheduled for January 10, 2013 at the Municipal Building.

Respectfully Submitted

JoAnn Fascenelli